

FISCAL NOTE

HJR 512

March 5, 1998

SUMMARY OF BILL: Amends Article XI of the Constitution of Tennessee by adding a new section that: *the state shall not discriminate against, or grant preferential treatment to, any individual or group on the basis of race, sex, color, ethnicity, or national origin in the operation of public employment, public education, or public contracting.* Requires that the foregoing amendment be referred to the 101st General Assembly and be published by the Secretary of State in accordance with Article XI, Section 3 of the Constitution of Tennessee.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$15,000 One-Time

Assumes a cost of \$15,000 due to the printing of a notice of the proposed amendment in certain newspapers as required by the resolution.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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